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SUBJ: MOVEMENT UNDER IPP-78

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1. POST COUNTS OVER FIVE THOUSAND INDOCHINESE REFUGEE ARRIVALS
IN MALAYSIA SINCE AUGUST 11, 1977.

2. MORE THAN 4,000 REFUGEES ARE NOW IN TEMPORARY ASYLUM AND
OVER 2,000 OF THESE ARE IN THE NOT-ACCEPTED-BY-U.S.-NOR-THIRD-
COUNTRY CATEGORY.

3. PROJECTIONS FOR MARCH ARE THAT 400 REFUGEES WILL BE MOVED
TO THE UNITED STATES UNDER IPP-77 AND AN ADDITIONAL 60 REFUGEES
WILL GO UNDER THE CONDITIONAL ENTRY PROGRAM FOR A TOTAL OF 460.

4. WHERE MOVEMENT UNDER IPP-78 APPROVED AS OF TODAY, POST COULD
SEND A TOTAL OF 681 REFUGEES TO THE UNITED STATES IN MARCH. THE
ADDITIONAL 221 REFUGEES ARE AMONG THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN INS-
APPROVED, SECURITY CLEARED AND VOLAG SPONSORED UNTER IPP-78.
AS TWO WEEEEKS ARE REQUIRED TO MOVE REFUGEES FROM THE CAMPS
TO KUALA LUMPUR AND TO MEDICALLY CLEAR AND BOOK THEM FOR TRAVEL
ONCE THEY ARE HERE, ALL MOVEMENT UNDER IPP-78 IS PRECULDED
FOR THE MONTH.

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5. AS THE ARRIVAL RATE OF BOAT REFUGEES ARRIVING IN MALAYSIA
NOW EXCEEDS AN AVERAGE OF 1,000 PER MONTH, IT IS ABSOLUTELY
ESSENTIAL THAT DEPARTURES UNDER US PROGRAMS CONTINUE UNABATED.

6. GOM HAS BECOME INCREASINGLY APPREHENSIVE OVER SWELLING INDO-
CHINESE REFUGEE FIGURES IN COUNTRY AND INQUIRIES REGARDING U.S.

PROGRAM MOVEMENT HAVE BECOME INCREASINGLY INSISTENT. IF POST IS TO RESPOND TO INQUIRIES, INFORMATION AS TO WHEN IPP-78 MOVEMENT CAN BEGIN IS REQUIRED.

7. ACTION REQUEST: DEPARTMENT INFORM POST AS TO WHEN AUTHORIZATION TO MOVE APPROVED, CLEARED, AND SPONSORED REFUGEES UNDER IPP-78 WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

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